



Newsletter

Friday 23rd October – Term Four, Newsletter 13, 2020

NEWSLETTERS ARE DISTRUBITED FORTNIGHTLY ON EVEN WEEKS.

Tena ra koutou ki nga hau e wha - Greetings to everybody.

Welcome back to school, I hope you all had a wonderful holiday break with your children! This will be an action packed final term of the year. There are a few school trips being planned, and our Athletics Days are coming up very soon.

We invite you to join us at school on Wednesday 4th November, the first day of our two-day athletics event, for a lunchtime sausage sizzle starting at 12:00pm. I believe sausage orders for you and your children can be made online using kindo, a payment system we have just registered with to help make life easier for our parents. It is so nice to be able to welcome people back into the school again!

A disco is coming up soon for the students, thanks to our fantastic parent support group. Oh, and don't forget to come along and 'bag a bargain' at our Parent Support Group's Giant Book and Puzzle Sale being held in the school hall on Sunday 1st November.

Over the last couple of years, we have noticed an increase in the number of children bringing lollipops to share with other children in their class when it is their birthday. While this is a very kind idea, it has now become problematic due to the number of times it is happening. Sweets are an occasional food, and are not foods that we actually condone at school because of the links between sugary foods and some forms of disease. Please do not send your child to school with sweets to share. From now on, any sweets brought to school will be sent back home.

To further our school 'wellbeing' strategic goal, teachers are explicitly teaching strategies that students can use when they feel overwhelmed, anxious or out of control. Some of this is being done through the Zones of Regulation programme. The tools they learn will help them throughout the rest of their lives.

Our teachers also regularly discuss and review how we can best support children who require support with peer interactions, specifically conflict resolution. One of our key supports is to take students' requests for help seriously and intervene immediately. Teachers follow guidelines in mediating peer concerns and provide an approach that supports a mending of the relationship. We have a responsibility to intervene and we take this very seriously. We use a positive approach because research tells us that

negative measures such as punishment or criticism are ineffective. The student may be doing the best they can at the time. Acceptance and ongoing support from teachers and peers are important.

Our school is an inclusive school, and we are teaching children about acceptance, kindness and empathy. I have been saddened to hear some parents say that certain children who have problems regulating their behaviour should not be allowed in our school. My reply to that would be that all children can have difficulty managing their behaviour at times, and I believe all children can learn, but just like academic learning, some children take longer than others to grasp the essential concepts. If any student deliberately hurts another child at school, this is unacceptable and is given immediate attention.

It is worth remembering that what we focus our attention on is what our children will focus their attention on. If we are always asking, "How was your day?" and children have got into a habit of telling a negative story that receives a high level of attention, they will continue with this habit simply because it gets them attention. Instead questions with a positive focus like, "What went well today? What were the highlights today?" may see a change in this behaviour. As many of you know, children's reporting of their day is not always accurately portrayed.

It is critical that adults lead, role model and mentor children to become kind and confident individuals capable of developing friendships, and showing empathy and kindness toward their peers.

Positive thoughts can change your life and enhance the lives of people around you. Stay calm, be kind and take care!

Ngā mihi nui
Rob Posthumus

HAPPY HURUPAKI BIRTHDAY TO:

Caitlin Worthington, Ezra-Faye Noa, Olive Taylor, Marlowe McNaughton, Daisy Barber,
Jasper McCleary and Marvyn Lamb!

SUPPORT GROUP UPDATES!

GIANT Book and Puzzle Sale

The countdown is on to the GIANT Book and Puzzle Sale next Sunday 1st November from 9am-2pm! Please spread the word far and wide as we have SO many books and puzzles, and would really love to sell as many as possible. We have two amazing raffles, each valued at over \$300 - tickets available at the office now, and at the book sale. Cake boxes and an information sheet are coming home with your children today. We would love as many of these as possible to come back to school on Saturday 31st October filled with lovely baking that we can sell at our bake sale. Thank you everyone for your support with this event. After having to postpone it twice, we are hoping third time's a charm!

Calendar Art

A reminder that forms and payment are due in by Monday 2nd November. Please make sure that we get a form with every payment, so we can order the right artwork for your children. There may be a few forms buried in backpacks!

Disco!

We are excited to let you know that we have rescheduled the school disco that was postponed in May! It will now be held on Thursday 19th November, and the new theme is "**Summer Vibes**"!

Years 1-3: 5.30-6.30pm

Years 4-6: 6.45-8pm

FREE entry. Children will go home from school on Thursday fitted with wristbands. This is to ensure that no pre-schoolers or children from other schools can enter.

Chips and juice will be available to purchase for \$1. Free apples and water available.

Years 1-3: Children to be dropped to the hall at 5:30pm. Teachers will usher your children from the hall to the courtyard outside Pods 1, 2 and 3 at 6.30pm, and all children must be picked up from there. Please wait in this area for your children. No Year 1-3 children are to be taken directly from the hall as we must ensure they are all picked up safely.

Years 4-6: If any year 4-6 children are there before 6.45, please have them wait in the playground area outside Pod 6. No older children are to enter the hall until the younger children have been moved out. All years 4-6 are to be picked up from the hall at 8pm.

Athletics Day - Coffee and Tea

On both the Athletics days (November 4th and 5th) we will have FREE tea and coffee available in the hall.

Bake Sale



At our GIANT Book and Puzzle Sale to be held on Sunday 1st November (in the Hurupaki School hall) we will also be having a bake sale.

The Hurupaki School Support Group would very much appreciate any home baking contributions you may be able to make to be sold at the bake sale. This could include cakes, muffins, biscuits, slices, pies, savoury items, sweets etc.

· Please use the **box provided** to return your baking. · We are asking that any baking contributions be dropped off to **Hurupaki School Hall between 10am-12 noon on Saturday 31st October.** Our team will be there to collect the boxes in preparation for Sunday's event.

· All baking contributions are only to be provided on this day in order to keep baking as fresh as possible for Sunday. · Please use a sharpie or marker to write on the box the name of your baking eg 'Banana Cake' - also add any other information people who purchase may want to know for example if it was *gluten free*.

If you have any other family members who may also like to contribute baking, please feel free to collect an additional box from the school office next week.

If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact the Hurupaki School Support Group:

supportgroup@hurupaki.school.nz

A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR HURUPAKI WHANAU FOR ALL OF YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT!



Salvation Army Christmas Boxes

I have been in contact with the Salvation Army to see how our Hurupaki School Community can help with their food boxes for the holiday session. They have asked if we can supply 300 cans of green beans or peas. So we are asking for these to be brought into school from Week 3 onwards. There will be a box in the office for them to go, and if you also wish to donate other food items, there will be another box for these. This is a great opportunity for the students to show Hurupaki Care and help the community. The Salvation Army have had an increased demand put on them since COVID 19 so it is awesome to be able to support others in need.

Ngā mihi nui
Karen Johnsen

FAMILY BBQ!!!

Whanau are invited to a family BBQ on Athletics day - 4th November!! Sausage and bread are available to purchase through Kindo before the day. FREE tea and coffee available in the hall.



REMINDERS

- Please register for our new payment system Kindo either through our website or by clicking this link <https://www.hurupaki.school.nz/payments/>
- Children will need to be wearing a school hat this term. These will be available to purchase in the office and on Kindo.
- Download Hero app. Click <https://hero.linc-ed.com/parents/> Please let school office know if you have any questions.

IMPORTANT DATES COMING UP

Monday 26 th October	Labour Day
Tuesday 27 th October	BOT meeting
Thursday 29 th October	Teacher Only day
Friday 30 th October	Speech NZ
Sunday 1 st November	Giant Book Sale 9am till 2pm in school hall
Monday 2 nd November	Calendar Art orders due
Wednesday 4 th November	School Photo orders due
Wednesday 4 th November	Athletics Day - With family sausage sizzle!
Thursday 5 th November	Athletics Day
Friday 13 th November	Pod 7 Waitangi trip
Thursday 19 th November	Netball celebration lunch
Thursday 19 th November	School Disco
Friday 20 th November	Pod 1 & 4 trip to Waipu Cove
Tuesday 24 th November	Pod 3 Waitangi trip
Thursday 26 th November	Pod 5 Waitangi trip
Monday 30 th November	Parents thank you morning tea!
Thursday 3 rd December	Pod 2 Beach trip
Friday 11 th December	Last day of Term 4 and final assembly
Wednesday 3 rd February	First day of Term 1 2021 (updated)

COMMUNITY NOTICES

- Guitar Lessons available at school - Contact Dave Meredith 027 383 2633
- Monday Market at Kaurihohore Hall on Monday 26 October 2020.
There will be home baking and preserves, plants and produce, soaps, jewellery, patchwork products, children's toys and clothes, photography canvases, a childrens' book and young artist at work, all produced by local craftspeople and growers. There will also be a sausage sizzle and cafe available.

PLEASE REMEMBER:

**NO vehicles are to enter into school grounds to drop off or pick up children
between 8.10am - 8.45am and 2.15pm - 3pm;
The speed limit within school grounds is 5kms
PLEASE INFORM YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS WHO DROP OFF OR PICK UP**

**Junior Athletics Whangarei
Get Running! Get Jumping! Get Throwing!
Season runs in Term 4 and Term 1 on Monday Nights
www.athleticswhangarei.co.nz
Email: juniorathleticswhangarei@gmail.com**

Maunu Tennis Club Centenary Celebration.

Saturday November 28th 2020. Maunu Tennis Club, 694 State Highway 14
Whangarei.

Courts open at 12.00noon. Formal welcome 1.00pm.

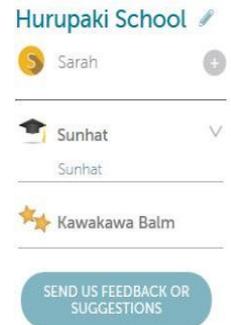
Come along and see the new courts, view the displays and catch up with club
mates.

Please pass this invitation to anyone else you think may be interested.

For more information contact Sue & Ray Webb 09 434 6898.

School payments online

Our school encourages families to pay for school expenses using the myKindo portal for paying accounts and purchasing shop items. myKindo uses the same software as ezlunch and it's simple, open 24/7 and available at www.mykindo.co.nz, via the link in payment reminder emails or on our school website.



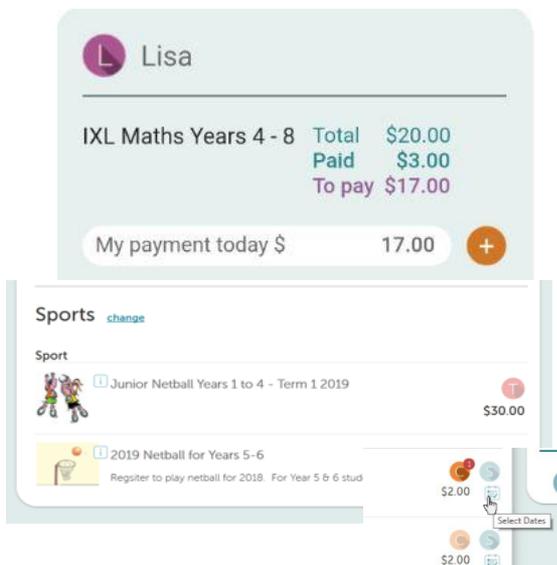
Creating an account (once only)

Getting started is fast & easy. Click the link in your payment request email or [go here](#). All you need is the *email address* the school has on file for you. Your account will be created and can be used for all students at any school.

You only need to register once & if you already have an ezlunch account, you can use your existing login details & choose to 'link' your student/s to the school records. After that, log in with your email address and password at mykindo.co.nz – or use the link in the payment request emails. Any registered caregiver can create an account.

Selecting items to pay

There are TWO types of transactions you can make using myKindo: paying personalised payment requests for your students; purchasing optional items.



at the top of the screen are personalised payment requests under a student name. Pay the full amount by clicking '+' next to the item or make a part payment, by changing the amount before clicking the '+' (if available). Once you have paid for something in full the item will be removed from your personalised account.

underneath are the shop/optional items. You can navigate quickly to more items using the services menu on the left of the screen. Click on your child's initial next to an item to add to your cart. For a dated service (such as Lunch), select your first delivery date, then you can add items to the cart for that date, or click the calendar icon to add items to multiple dates. Items will not be removed when bought, as these are generally 'shop' items. If you're unsure, you can view order history on 'my orders'.

Topping up your account

Checkout & payment

Once you have finished adding items to your cart, click 'Check out' to review your order.

Click "Place Order"  to complete the transaction. If you do not have sufficient funds, the button will say 'Top Up & Place Order' and enable you to add funds (see "Topping up your account").

Kindo will automatically update the school, and you will receive an email receipt confirming your payment and/or top-up.

1. Bank Transfer (through your bank app)

2. POLi internet banking

3. Credit/Debit Card

Need assistance?

Please ask at the school office.



Date	Hub Location – Option 1	Hub Location – Option 2	Hub location – Option 3	Time
14/10/20	Otamatea High School , 120 Bickerstaffe Road, Maungaturoto	Barnardos , 2 Armstrong Avenue, Maunu, Whangarei	Whananaki School Library , Whananaki North Road	9:00am – 12:00pm
21/10/20	Bream Bay Community Trust , 9 Takutai Place, Ruakaka	Clark Road Chapel , 4-6 Clark Rd, Kamo, Whangarei	Back 2 Basics , Maungatapere	9:00am – 12:00pm
22/10/20	Parua Bay Community Centre , 1475 Whangarei Heads Road, Parua Bay	Ruawai Primary School , 4376 State Highway 12, Ruawai	Te Rito , William Jones Drive and Rata Place, Otangarei	9:00am – 12:00pm
28/10/20	Mangawhai Beach School , 34 Insley Street, Mangawhai	Whangaruru School , 2916 Russell Road, Punaruku 0184	Te Horo School , 3239 Pipiwai Road, Whangarei	9:00am – 12:00pm
29/10/20	Onerahi Community Hall , Onerahi, Whangarei	Matakohe Primary School , Matakohe		9:00am – 12:00pm
29/10/20	Tinopai School , 1913 Tinopai Road, Tinopai			12:30pm - 2:00pm
4/11/20	Waipu Primary School , 6 Argyle Street, Waipu	Clark Road Chapel , 4-6 Clark Rd, Kamo, Whangarei	Tauraroa Area School , Omana Road, Maungakaramea	9:00am – 12:00pm
5/11/20	Barnardos , 2 Armstrong Avenue, Maunu, Whangarei	Dargaville Primary School , State Highway 12, Dargaville		9:00am – 12:00pm
11/11/20	Archie Bull Hall Kaiwaka , 11 Kaiwaka – Mangawhai Rd	Hukerenui School , 9 Crows Nest Road, Hukerenui	Back 2 Basics , Maungatapere	9:00am – 12:00pm
12/11/20	Barnardos , 2 Armstrong Avenue, Maunu, Whangarei	Aranga School , Aranga, Dargaville		9:00am – 12:00pm
12/11/20	Kaihu Valley School , 66 Maropiu Road, Mamaranui			12:30pm - 2:00pm
18/11/20	One Tree Point School , 97 One Tree Point Road, One Tree Point	Clark Road Chapel , 4-6 Clark Rd, Kamo, Whangarei		9:00am – 12:00pm
19/11/20	Te Rito , William Jones Drive and Rata Place, Otangarei	Pouto Primary School , 11 Opuna Rd, Te Kopuru		9:00am – 12:00pm
19/11/20	Te Kopuru School , 9 Norton Street, Te Kopuru			12:30pm - 2:00pm
25/11/20	Paparoa Primary School , 14 Franklin Rd, Paparoa	Barnardos , 2 Armstrong Avenue, Maunu, Whangarei	Mangakahia Community Room , Mangakahia Road	9:00am – 12:00pm
26/11/20	Te Rito , William Jones Drive and Rata Place, Otangarei	Arapohue School , Arapohue		9:00am – 12:00pm
26/11/20	Tangowahine School , Tangowahine			
2/12/20	Ruakaka School , 12 Sandford Rd, Ruakaka	Clark Road Chapel , 4-6 Clark Rd, Kamo, Whangarei	Back 2 Basics , Maungatapere	9:00am – 12:00pm
3/12/20	Ngunguru Sports Cub , Kopipi Crescent, Ngunguru	Dargaville Intermediate School , 38 Charlotte St, Dargaville	Onerahi Community Hall , Onerahi, Whangarei	9:00am – 12:00pm
9/12/20	Maungaturoto Primary School , 8 Gorge Rd, Maungaturoto	Tikipunga Baptist Church , Kiripaka Rd & Heretaunga St, Tikipunga		9:00am – 12:00pm
10/12/20	Barnardos , 2 Armstrong Avenue, Maunu, Whangarei			9:00am – 12:00pm
17/12/20	Barnardos , 2 Armstrong Avenue, Maunu, Whangarei			9:00am – 12:00pm

Drop into the hub or contact us on **0800 5248 4256** or email TT.Support@education.govt.nz



Golden Wrapper **Promotion!**

Hole in One Café @

Hurupaki School – Friday 30th October

**Order a lunch from Hole in One Cafe for Friday 30th
October and be in to WIN the lucky Golden Wrapper
Lunch!**

**Inside the Golden Wrapper is a FREE voucher to be
redeemed instore at Hole in One Cafe!**

**Not registered? It's simple; all you need to do is register at
www.lunchonline.co.nz**

and follow 4 easy steps to get started

- 1. Register an account**
- 2. Add member/s including your name and delivery location**
- 3. Make a payment to have funds in your account before you order**
- 4. Select your lunch and place an order**

Phone 0800 LOL LOL Phone 0800 565 565

info@lunchonline.co.nz

